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Welcome to the August 2011 edition of the Radio HF Internet Newsletter.

Unfortunately, I begin this month's edition with some sad news. Any of you who have been a subscriber to the Newsletter for several years or more will recall the name of long-time contributor Elmer Standish of Courtenay, British Columbia. His name was a fixture in the contributors' list month after month. I hadn't heard from Elmer in several months, and then a few months back his copy of the monthly newsletter began to bounce back at me. Sadly I received a message this month from Elmer's eldest son, Randy. He says "On behalf of the family of Elmer Standish thank you to Mr. Sheldon Harvey of Greenfield Park, Quebec for his wishes on behalf of the entire RADIOHF network on Elmer's passing Feb 20, 2011. He loved the electronics world and was a genius in that field..... thanks again." I'm sure I speak on behalf of all of us in passing along our sincere condolences to the

Standish family. Elmer's contributions here were greatly appreciated and his name will live on in our archives. I'd like to dedicate this month's issue to the memory of Elmer Standish.

Our Monthly Special Zone for August features information on a number of special United Nations Days plus, yes, it is that time of year again. It's Elvis Week in Memphis!

This month's virtual voyage around the world, in the "Where in the World Zone", takes us to the northern reaches of Europe to a country which has been in the news of late, unfortunately due to deadly violence. The country is Norway. Officially the Kingdom of Norway, it is a Nordic unitary constitutional monarchy occupying the western portion of the Scandinavian Peninsula, as well as Jan Mayen, Svalbard and Bouvet Island. Norway has a total area of 385,252 square kilometres (148,747 sq mi) and a population of about 4.9 million. It is the second least densely populated country in Europe. The majority of the country shares a border to the east with Sweden; its northernmost region is bordered by Finland to the south and Russia to the east; in its south Norway borders the Skagerrak Strait, across from Denmark. The capital city of Norway is Oslo. Norway's extensive coastline, facing the North Atlantic Ocean and the Barents Sea, is home to its famous fjords.

Now on with this month's Newsletter. Please feel free to send along a few websites to add to future editions.

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THE CONTRIBUTORS ZONE

Thank you to this month's 5 contributors. Let's hear from a few more of you next time around.

Mark D. via Radio in Montreal Yahoo Group, Montreal, Quebec

Howard Gontovnick, Chomedey-Laval, Quebec

Rich Hankison, Overland Park, Kansas

Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

THE MONTHLY SPECIAL ZONE

UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE WORLD'S INDIGENOUS PEOPLE

http://www.un.org/en/events/indigenousday/
<http://www.un.org/en/events/indigenousday/>

UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

http://www.un.org/en/events/youthday/
<http://www.un.org/en/events/youthday/>

UNITED NATIONS WORLD HUMANITARIAN DAY

http://www.un.org/en/events/humanitarianday/
<http://www.un.org/en/events/humanitarianday/>

UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL DAY AGAINST NUCLEAR TESTS

http://www.un.org/en/events/againstnucleartestsday/
<http://www.un.org/en/events/againstnucleartestsday/>

ELVIS WEEK

http://www.elvis.com/elvisweek/ <http://www.elvis.com/elvisweek/>

THE AUGUST ZONE

Each month we feature the monthly page from Wikipedia, the free, on-line encyclopedia. The page features an overview of the month, plus background and general information on the month itself. The actual monthly calendar, clickable day by day, gives a list of special events in history, famous birthdays, anniversaries, etc. for each day. Here is the link for the month of August.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/August
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/August>

Also, here are some special days and events in August.

MONTHLY CELEBRATIONS

National Inventors' Month

Pedestrian Safety Month

WEEKLY CELEBRATIONS

17 Assistance Dog Week

15 21 National Aviation Week

SPECIAL DAYS

4 Coast Guard Day

9 United Nations: International Day of the World's Indigenous People

12 United Nations: International Youth Day

19 United Nations: World Humanitarian Day

23 United Nations: International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade & its Abolition

29- United Nations: International Day Against Nuclear Tests

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

7 Sisters Day

1016 Elvis Week

15 Best Friend's Day

13 National Garage Sale Day

15 National Relaxation Day

19 National Aviation Day

Source: Chase's Calendar of Events 2011

2011 National Health Observances, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

2011 Calendar of Events, California Department of Education

2011 United Nations Observances

2011 Bizarre, Crazy, Silly Unknown Holidays and Observances

VIA

http://ucanr.org/sites/Spanish/Calendario/August_2011/ <http://ucanr.org/sites/Spanish/Calendario/August_2011/>

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #1

KENT MORSE KEYS

R. A. Kent Engineering was founded in 1965 by the late Robert A. Kent. The present owner, Robert S. Kent, son of R. A. Kent, joined the firm in 1971, and took over the management of the firm in 1988. The company was originally based in Banks, Southport, but moved to purpose built premises in Tarleton, Preston, in 1982.

We were mainly a general precision engineering firm until 1983, when we started the design and production of Morse code keys. Over the following five years, the Morse key manufacture virtually took over the business, and the mainstay of the business today is still the design and manufacture of Morse code keys.

For more information on the unique products of Kent Morse Keys please visit their website at http://www.kent-engineers.com/index.htm <http://www.kent-engineers.com/index.htm>

Radio HF is the new Canadian home for Kent Morse Keys. Please inquire about pricing and availability.

WHERE IN THE WORLD ZONE

THIS MONTH NORWAY

C.I.A. WORLD FACTBOOK NORWAY

https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/no.html
<https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/no.htm\
l>

WIKIPEDIA NORWAY

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Norway
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Norway>

NORWAY.NO OFFICIAL GATEWAY TO THE PUBLIC SECTOR IN NORWAY

http://www.norway.no/ <http://www.norway.no/>

NORWAY GOVERNMENT & MINISTRIES INFORMATION

http://www.regjeringen.no/en.html?id=4
<http://www.regjeringen.no/en.html?id=4>

VISIT NORWAY

http://www.visitnorway.com/ <http://www.visitnorway.com/>

This is the official travel and tourism website for Norway.

RADIO STATION WORLD NORWAY

http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Norway/
<http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Norway/>

This is a listing of broadcasting organizations and radio stations in
Norway.

ONLINE NEWSPAPERS NORWAY

http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/norway.htm
<http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/norway.htm>

This is a listing of newspapers in Norway.

THE RADIO ZONE

TUNE IN

http://tunein.com/about/ <http://tunein.com/about/>

VIA Howard Gontovnick, Chomedey-Laval, Quebec

TuneIn is the global leader in delivering free local, international and
Internet radio. We aspire to connect radio lovers and listeners to the
world's radio stations. Our TuneIn apps help people find and listen to
live content from over 50,000 radio stations on over 150 products.

RADIO INSIGHT

http://radioinsight.com <http://radioinsight.com/>

VIA Mark D, via Radio in Montreal Yahoo Group, Montreal, Quebec

RadioInsight.com is dedicated to professional and intelligent discussion of topics pertaining to the radio and broadcasting industries. The group behind RadioInsight has been involved in the radio community for over a decade now. You'll find news stories, blogs, discussion boards, etc.

RADIO SURVIVOR

http://www.radiosurvivor.com/ <http://www.radiosurvivor.com/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Radio Survivor attempts to shed light on the ongoing importance of radio: from the airwaves (FM, AM, Short-wave, HD, satellite) to online. We are proponents for the relevance of radio as a participatory communications medium. As both fans and producers, we write about the problems and prospects of radio. We embrace college radio stations in crisis. We defend radio pirates. And we care about the on-going survival of our favorite radio stations. We are obsessed with the future of radio and are charmed by radio historians, radio dramatists, radio bloggers, and anyone else who cares about radio as deeply as we do.

PBS-A SCIENCE ODYSSEY-RADIO TRANSMISSION

http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/aso/tryit/radio/
<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/aso/tryit/radio/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

From the Public Broadcasting Service comes this special feature on radio transmission. For almost 100 years radio has allowed us to send sounds over the air. How, exactly, is this done? The activity and write-ups on this webpage show you how. There are also features on some of the radio pioneers and historic events in the early days of radio.

INTERFERENCE ON AM & FM RADIOS

http://www.selfhelpandmore.com/interference/am-fm-radio-interference.php
<http://www.selfhelpandmore.com/interference/am-fm-radio-interference.ph\
p>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This article by Donald Kerr on the Self Help and More website deals with interference on AM and FM radio, and offers insight and solutions to the problem.

AM, FM, TV RECEPTION GUIDE AND DIRECTORY

http://www.amfmreception.com/ <http://www.amfmreception.com/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This is an informational site with directories, guides, and reviews of equipment, software, and services used for reception of AM and FM radio and television

DX PORTAL

http://www.dxportal.com/ <http://www.dxportal.com/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The DXPORTAL search engine built using Google's core search technology which prioritizes search results based on amateur radio websites.

Everyone is encouraged to help build DXPORTAL search engine by sending in submissions of sites to be added to the search engine.

CYBERCOLLEGE ELEMENTS OF MASS COMMUNICATIONS

http://www.cybercollege.com/frtv/frtv_ind.htm
<http://www.cybercollege.com/frtv/frtv_ind.htm>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Cybercollege offers free online courses in many different fields. The free Mass Communication course covers film, radio, TV, magazines, newspapers and the Internet. The section on radio is particularly interesting.

MB21-THE TRANSMISSION GALLERY

http://tx.mb21.co.uk/ <http://tx.mb21.co.uk/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This site by Mike Brown features information, photographs and maps of United Kingdom terrestrial television and radio transmitters - past and present.

CB RADIO TALK

http://www.cbradiotalk.com/ <http://www.cbradiotalk.com/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

CB radio seems to be alive and well out there in the world of communications. This on-line gathering place for news, discussions, etc. on the world of CB has close to 20,000 members.

RADIO H.F. BOOK REVIEW ZONE

EDITOR: T. J. "Skip" Arey

Small Antennas for Small Places

By Steve Ford WB8IMY

ISBN: 978-0-87259-839-3

$25.95

Many hams are confronted with situations where getting a full sized, high performance antenna into play is just not in the cards. You may recall my past writings in other places about using a Slinky as an antenna in dorm rooms during my college and grad school years. Steve Ford has brought together a collection of ideas that will either provide most folks with the perfect solution to their antenna space dilemma or they will provide sufficient food for thought to allow any ham to come up with his or hers own design.

Steve starts out with some basic theory and practice on antenna design including tips of various types of feed lines as well as basic RF safety. This is followed with a collection of ideas on simple, easy to install, indoor HF and VHF antennas that will allow even the most covenant restricted ham to get a signal out on the air. Then Steve goes into Out antennas designed for the ham with limited yard space. He also covers temporary antennas, just the ticket for folks doing emergency

service or campers like myself.

Even if you're able to put up a 40 meter tower with full sized gain antennas, this book might still offer an idea or two about working smarter instead of harder when it comes to antenna planning. A great companion to The ARRL Antenna Handbook.

This publication is available from your favourite publications dealer.

THE GENERAL ZONE

BREAKING NEWS

http://www.breakingnews.com/ <http://www.breakingnews.com/>

VIA Rich Hankison, Overland Park, Kansas

Breaking News brings you the biggest stories as they happen, 24 hours a day, from hundreds of news sources across the globe. On many stories, we combine eyewitness accounts shared on social media from people at the scene. We publish on BreakingNews.com, @breakingnews on Twitter, Facebook and on three mobile apps. We're a small, caffeinated team of news junkies embedded inside msnbc.com's newsroom.

M.I.T.'s HAYSTACK OBSERVATORY

http://www.haystack.mit.edu/index.html
<http://www.haystack.mit.edu/index.html>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Haystack Observatory is an interdisciplinary research center of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) focused on radio astronomy, geodesy, and atmospheric science. Haystack's radio astronomy program is conducted under the auspices of the Northeast Radio Observatory Corporation (NEROC).

WHAT HAPPENED TO RUSSIA'S SPACE SHUTTLE PROGRAM?

http://photofind.com/featured-photo/history-of-buran-russian-space-shutt\
le-program
<http://photofind.com/featured-photo/history-of-buran-russian-space-shut\
tle-program>

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

With the recent retirement of the American Space shuttle program, the question arises what ever happened to the Russian Space Shuttle Buran? The URL above is a photo essay about the Buran program, Russia's version of the space shuttle and failed attempt to keep their lead in the space race during the 1980's. There were two Burans built but only one flew successfully and when the old USSR broke up, the Buran program was scrapped.

GARAGE HANGOVER

http://www.garagehangover.com/ <http://www.garagehangover.com/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This site is a work in progress on 1960s garage rock bands.

LP COVER LOVERS

http://lpcoverlover.com/ <http://lpcoverlover.com/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Welcome to the weird and wonderful world of record covers from the golden age of LPs, and 45s also.

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #3

What is new in books & publications from the American Radio Relay League, the Radio Society of Great Britain, and other publishers?

Antenna Zoning for the Radio Amateur 2nd Edition

By Fred Hopengarten, K1VR

Don't let the confusing tangle of ordinances and by-laws keep you from installing the antenna you need in order to communicate effectively! In recent years, many cities and towns have enacted ordinances designed mainly to regulate cellular antenna structures. Unfortunately, hams have sometimes been caught in the backlash of regulatory overkill. This book describes proven techniques and strategies that a ham and his or her attorney can use to obtain an antenna-structure permit (also includes material on Canadian law and regulation).

Includes:

Principles That Will Help You Win

The Process in a Nutshell

Your Winning Team

Basic Preparations

Getting to Know the Players

Possible Objections

Preparing the Permit Application

Public HearingsYour Big Moment in the Spotlight

Deliberations and Decisions

Now, Get the Permit and Build Your Antenna

Awkward Post-Permit Situations

Local and State Law, National Codes

Drafting or Redrafting a Bylaw or State law

Federal Law of Ham Radio Structures

Other Federal Law

Common Covenants and Restraints

Canadian Laws

CD-ROM included containing case law, customizable forms and additional legal reference material. Windows and Macintosh compatible.

Softcover: 245 pages

Publisher: Focal Press, an imprint of Elseiver; Second Edition (March 2011) ISBN: 978-0-87259-145-5

Order Number 1192 - $49.95 Canadian or U.S.

The ARRL Introduction to Emergency Communication Course

4th Edition

An introductory course designed for Amateur Radio volunteers who want to serve as part of an ARES® response team. Please note: this book is the course transcript for the new Introduction to Emergency Communication Course (EC-001) and is an optional resource.

Course Contents:

Introduction to Emergency Communication

Amateurs as Professionals

Emergency Communication Organizations and Systems

Served Agency Communication Systems

Working Directly with the Public

Basic Communication Skills

Introduction to Emergency Nets

Net Operating Guidelines

Introduction to the National Traffic System

Basic Message Handling

Preparing for Deployment

Emergency Activation

Safety & Survival

What to Expect in Large Scale Disasters

Marine Communications

and much more!

This course transcript may serve as a student study guide for ARRL authorized field classes, as well as self-study. For more information about field classes and field exam sessions visit www.arrl.org/emergency-communications-training <http://www.arrl.org/emergency-communications-training>

Enroll in ARRL's Introduction to Emergency Communication Course! Course start dates, registration deadlines, cost and more information is available at www.arrl.org/online-courses <http://www.arrl.org/online-courses>

Softcover: 344 pages

Publisher: The American Radio Relay League, Inc.; Fourth Edition/First Printing (July 2011) ISBN: 978-0-87259-730-3

Order Number 7303 - $24.95 Canadian or U.S.

Please visit the Radio HF webpage at

http://www.radiohf.ca/publications.htm
<http://www.radiohf.ca/publications.htm> for a complete catalog of all books, publications and CD-Roms available from the ARRL, RSGB and other popular publishers and authors.

THE FUN & SERVICES ZONE

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN

http://www.differencebetween.net <http://www.differencebetween.net/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Differencebetween.net not only facilitates your understanding of a topic, but it also enables you to differentiate two similar subjects. The site provides you with instant information on various topics. The subjects are organized into a range of categories from `Business' to `Technology'. We compile and unify multiple reliable resources for each topic onto a single page, so then readers can gather adequate information very quickly and effortlessly. We are eager to share our wealth of knowledge with you, so keep browsing and share your thoughts with us when necessary.

FJORDS

http://fjords.com/ <http://fjords.com/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

In honour of Norway being our Where in the World Zone destination this month, here is a site billing itself as the gateway to the Norwegian Fjords. This is a start page with all the information you need to explore and plan your journey to the four fjord regions in Western Norway; Møre & Romsdal, Sogn & Fjordane, Hordaland and Rogaland.

Read about great journeys through the fjords, mountains, valleys and glaciers in Western Norway. You will also find travelogues with pictures from other adventures. Keywords are sea kayaking, hiking, cycling, skiing, summer skiing, rafting and walking on glaciers. Some places are well known tourist areas, other more hidden.

QUIRKY GUIDE

http://www.quirkyguide.com/ <http://www.quirkyguide.com/>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

We believe in the buzz of discovery and the thrill of stumbling upon something new, unusual or surprising as hell. We love to travel the world with wide-open eyes, and to champion its lesser-known corners and curiosities; even when they hide on our own doorstep.

We started QG as a labour of love in 2008, when there were no other websites doing the same. Back then, we were a small team of travel writers, editors and journalists giving up our spare time to catalogue offbeat travel experiences we had encountered around the globe. Today we welcome everyone with a passion for travel to take part.

UNDERGROUND HOUSING

http://www.undergroundhousing.com/index.html
<http://www.undergroundhousing.com/index.html>

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Where are the traditional tornado shelters located? Where are the fallout shelters? Where does an army go to defend itself? In a world that is increasingly hostile, it's really nice to know that Mother Earth herself is providing your safety.

THE 2011 HAMFEST/FLEAMARKET ZONE

Each month we list upcoming events, including hamfests, predominantly in Canada. NOTE: All times quoted are local. This list is compiled by Radio Amateurs of Canada, and other sources.

Friday, August 12 and Saturday, August 13, 2011 - Manitoba Amateur Radio Museum Marmfest

Location: Heritage Building on the grounds of The Manitoba Agricultural Museum, Austin, Manitoba

Times: Friday - registration at the Heritage building 4:00 to 8:00 pm

Saturday - registration at the Heritage building 8:30 am to 1:00 pm

Fleamarket sales open at 10:00 - vendors at 9:30 am

Cost: $7.00 per person

Talk-in frequency: VE4MTR repeater 146.91-

Info: Dave Snydal VE4XN, 25 Queens Crescent, Brandon, MB R7B 1G1

Tel: 204-728-2463

Email: dsnydal@... <mailto:dsnydal@...>

Webpage: http://marminc.ca <http://marminc.ca/>

Saturday, August 20, 2011 - Brantford Amateur Radio Club Hamfest

Location: Burford Fairgrounds, Burford, Ontario

Time: "Prepaid Vendors" - 7:00 am; Other Vendors (tailgaters) - 7:30 am

General Public - 9:00 am

Tables: $10 + $6 admission; Tailgaters: $6 + $6 admission

General Public: $6 (children under 12 free)

Talk-in frequency: 147.150+(131.8) (ve3tcr)

Info: Fred Judd ve3sxb

Email: ve3sxb@... <mailto:ve3sxb@...>

Webpage: http://www.ve3ba.com <http://www.ve3ba.com/>

Sunday, August 21, 2011 - Surrey ARC and Langley ARA Fleamarket, Surrey, British Columbia

Location: Sullivan Community Hall, 6306 152nd Street, Surrey, BC.

Times: Buyers 10 am to 1 pm; Vendor setup at 9 am

Cost: Inside table $25. Tailgate spot in parking lot $15. Tailgate vendors bring own table, chair and shelter. Buyers admission $5.

Talk-in frequency: 146.780 - (no tone for this event)

Info: Bill Little VA7ZBL, 19328 64th Ave., Surrey, BC V3S 7L5

TEL 604-533-2181

Email: ychingola@... <mailto:ychingola@...> or va7xb@... <mailto:va7xb@...>

Webpage: http://www.ve7sar.net <http://www.ve7sar.net/>

Sunday August 28, 2011 - Vancouver Island Ham Happenings 2011

Cowichan Valley Amateur Radio Society

Location: The new Cowichan Exhibition Grounds, 7380 Trans Canada Hwy, Duncan, BC V9L 6B1.

Times: Vendors at 8AM; Buyers: 9AM to 1PM.

Cost: Entry: $5.00, Students and children free.

Tables $15.00 if reserved by August 1, $20.00 thereafter.

Talk-in frequency: 146.680, no tone and 145.470 (tone: 127.3)

Info: Gabor Horvath

Email: ve7dxg@... <mailto:ve7dxg@...>

Webpage: http://www.cvars.com <http://www.cvars.com/>

Saturday, September 10, 2011 - Lake Simcoe Ham Radio & Hobby Show - Orillia Amateur Radio Club

Location: ORO-MEDONTE Fairgrounds, Oro-Medonte, Ontario

Times: Vendors, Exhibitors and Tailgaters 07:30 am; General Public 8:00 am

Cost: $ 10 for a table or tailgater spot plus admission.

Admission $ 5, free for 12 years and under.

Talk-in frequency: VE3LSR 146.850- 156.7 tone

Info: Contact: Bob Simpson ve3odr@... <mailto:ve3odr@bell.net> or Rick Francis ve3oxx@... <mailto:ve3oxx@...>

Email: ve3odr@... <mailto:ve3odr@...>

Webpage: http://www.orilliaarc.ca <http://www.orilliaarc.ca/>

Saturday, September 10, 2011 - Ottawa Amateur Radio Club 15th Annual Hamfest, Carp, Ontario

Location: Carp Agriculatural Fairgrounds, 3832 Carp Road (near Falldown Lane), Carp, Ontario

Time: Building Vendor Setup: 7:30 am - 9 am; Tailgaters Open: 8 am

Indoor Fleamarket Open: 9 am - Noon

RAC and Technology Forum: Noon - 3pm

Cost: $6 General Admission, $12/table (plus admission), $5/tailgate (plus admission)

Talk-in frequency: VE2CRA, 146.94-, 100 Hz

Info: Ed Sich, VE3WGO Tel 613-667-2752

Email: fleamarket@... <mailto:fleamarket@...>

Webpage: http://www.oarc.net/fleamarket <http://www.oarc.net/fleamarket>

RADIO HF WILL BE THERE

Saturday, September 24, 2011 Hamfest Centre du Quebec
Drummondville Amateur Radio Club

Location: Centre Claude-Nault, 480 rue Lessard

Access by Autoroute 55, Exit 116 to Route 139

GPS: 72° 25.356' W - 45° 49.786' N

Time: Vendors 7 am; General Public 9 am

Talk-in: VE2RDL 146.625 - Tone 110.9

Contact: Omer Laperle VE2OML 819-478-0478

Webpage: http://www.raqi.ca/ve2crd/hamfest/index.html <http://www.raqi.ca/ve2crd/hamfest/index.html>

RADIO HF WILL BE THERE

Saturday, September 24, 2011 - Northern Ontario Hamfest - Manitoulin and Sudbury Amateur Radio Clubs

Location: Garson Arena, Community Hall, 100 Church St; Garson, Ontario

Time: 7:00 am Vendors 9:00-1:00 General Public

Cost: General Public $5:00 $7:00 Tail Gating $10:00 Tables

Talk-in frequency: 147.060 (- Offset) Pl 100 hz

Info: Contact Mike VE3WMJ 705-525-0225

Email: VE3WMJ@... <mailto:VE3WMJ@...>

Webpage: http://www.ve3srg.com <http://www.ve3srg.com/>

Sunday, September 25, 2011 34th Annual London Amateur Radio Club
2011 Flea Market - London Amateur Radio Club

Location: Western Fairgrounds, Special Events Building, 900 King Street, London, Ontario

Opening times: Vendors Setup: 7:30 am; General Public 9:00am to 1:00pm

Tables $10 admission $6 (Ages 10 and up)

Talk-in frequency: VAELON 147.060 PL 114.8

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THE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB (CIDX)

CIDX is Canada's national radio monitoring club, serving radio hobbyists since 1962. Our monthly electronic newsletter, MESSENGER, covers all aspects of the radio monitoring hobby as well as amateur radio coverage.

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Please visit the CIDX web page at http://www.cidx.ca
<http://www.cidx.ca/>

PRIME TIME SHORTWAVE

Prime Time Shortwave is a listing of English shortwave broadcast that are updated frequently by webmasters Daniel Sampson and by database administrator Ernest Riley. The schedules are constantly updated from various print and internet sources as well as from monitoring by the webmaster and other shortwave listeners and DXers. The shortwave schedules are available by time, country and frequency format. Also, they are available in ASCII, Dbase and Excel. You will also find links to some of the best radio related websites and to the international broadcasters and time conversion charts (some provided by Craig Braun). Please visit the Prime Time Shortwave webpage at

http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/ <http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/>

THE INTERNATIONAL RADIO REPORT

The International Radio Report, celebrating its 23rd year on CKUT-FM, 90.3 FM in Montreal this month, is available via the Internet live streaming, and on the airwaves of CKUT, Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM Eastern (1430 UTC). The show's co-hosts, Janice Laws and Sheldon Harvey, present a weekly half-hour of news, information and developments in radio broadcasting.

Visit the CKUT web page for full CKUT programming details.

http://www.ckut.ca <http://www.ckut.ca/>

The International Radio Report is also rebroadcast on shortwave each week on Area 51 on WBCQ-The Planet, Sundays at 10:30 PM Eastern (0230 Monday UTC) on 5110 kHz. You may also listen to archived editions of the programme through the CKUT web site. Send your comments or questions to the International Radio Report, by e-mail, to radioreport@... <mailto:radioreport@...>

RADIO CANADA INTERNATIONAL

RCI's schedules for the A-11 broadcast season (27 March 2011 to 30 October 2011) have been posted on the "Schedules and Frequencies" page of the RCI website at the following address:

http://www.rcinet.ca/english/schedule/
<http://www.rcinet.ca/english/schedule/>

You will find not only our shortwave broadcast schedules, but also the schedules for 24-hour per day satellite channels on the HotBird satellite (Europe/North Africa/Middle East). Stay in touch with Canada via Radio Canada International.

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